Wichita Board of Appeals of Plumbers and Gas Fitters Minutes Wednesday, January 6th, 2010

Present: Jerry Short, Andy Veatch, Don Vaughn, Keith Brewer, Ray Frederick and

Eric Vail

Absent: Leon Breedlove

Staff: David Laws, w/Central Inspection; Jeff VanZandt, w/Law Department; Bill Vines, w/ Water & Sewer Dept.; Kurt Schroeder, w/Central Inspection; and Kim Mudd, w/Central Inspection

Guests Present: Rodney Ketzner, w/ Plumbing Solutions of Wichita; Dan Leidy, Executive Director, w/PACK; Lonny Wright; Pat Richardson, w/ PACK; Mike Dirck, w/ A-Plus, Plumbing; Ron Means, w/ Means Construction; Bill Schweitzer, w/ IAMPMO; Bob Shepherd, w/ IAMPMO; John Shepherd, w/ Local #441; and Michelle Wood, w/ PACK

Chairman, Jerry Short called the meeting to order.

Keith Brewer, seconded by Don Vaughn, moved to accept the December 16th, 2009 minutes, motion carried 6 – 0.

Public Agenda Items - Rodney Ketzner, with Plumbing Solutions of Wichita, was present to have a clarification on the process of pulling permits for radiant floor heat. After a major discussion, Ray Frederick, seconded by Andy Veatch, moved to have staff review and report back to the board, motion carried 6-0.

Old Business – Andy Veatch explained the changes the committee had reviewed and were still making some minor changes. No action taken.

Old Business – Code Review – Kurt Schroeder explained to the board that he had met with the City Manager and it was agreed to proceed to the City Council. After discussion, Keith Brewer, seconded by Don Vaughn, moved to produce a cover letter for the City Council and to proceed, motion carried 6 – 0.

Old Business – Bill Vines discussed and presented revisions to the Exemption Code Agreement as an amendment to the ordinance regarding backflow at Dental Clinics / Offices. Keith Brewer, seconded by Andy Veatch, moved to accept the revisions, motion carried 6-0.

Keith Brewer, seconded by Andy Veatch, moved to adjourn the meeting, motion carried 6-0.

Respectfully submitted, Kim Mudd